

## About the Evidence Based Research filter

This filter is designed to discover **systematic reviews and meta analyses**.

The Evidence Based Research filter is run behind the scenes on our production databases to tag records. The search behind the filter combines the following four searches with 'OR'.

### Search 1

Evidence review OR evidence reviews OR evidence synthesis OR evidence-based review OR evidence report or "Evidence Reports - Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality" or publication bias OR campbell collaboration

### Search 2

meta-analysis OR meta-analyses OR metaanalyses OR metaanalysis

### Search 3

systematic reviews OR systematic review OR systematic overview OR systematic literature review OR systematic literature reviews OR systematically reviewed OR systematically review OR systemic review OR Cochrane reviews OR Cochrane review OR (Cochrane [*in the abstract only*] AND (register OR library)) OR Cochrane collaboration

### Search 4

(pooled analysis OR systematic OR systematically OR inclusion criteria OR exclusion criteria OR relevant articles OR study selection OR randomised controlled OR randomized controlled OR search strategy OR evidence OR literature review OR quantitative analysis OR qualitative analysis OR cohort studies OR case control studies OR reference list OR selection criteria OR data extraction) and (Chinese National Knowledge Infrastructure OR CNKI OR CINAHL OR Psychinfo OR Psycinfo OR Chinese Biomedical Literature Database OR Medline OR Pubmed OR Embase OR CAB Abstracts OR Science Citation Index OR Web of Science OR Web of Knowledge OR Scopus OR Zoological Record OR Biological Abstracts OR Biosis Previews)

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